



DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC

Project No. 2503-153

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF LICENSE AND SOLICITING
COMMENTS, MOTIONS TO INTERVENE, AND PROTESTS

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

- a. Application Type: Non-project use of project lands and waters
- b. Project No: 2503-153
- c. Date Filed: December 17, 2012
- d. Applicant: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC
- e. Name of Project: Keowee-Toxaway Hydroelectric Project
- f. Location: Lake Keowee, Oconee County, South Carolina
- g. Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act, 16 USC 791(a)- 825(r)
- h. Applicant Contact: Mr. Kelvin Reagan, Duke Energy Carolinas, P.O. Box 1006, Charlotte, NC 28201-1006, (704) 382-9386
- i. FERC Contact: Ms. Jade Alvey, (202) 502-6864, jade.alvey@ferc.gov
- j. Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene, and protests: **May 13, 2013**

All documents may be filed electronically via the Internet. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at 1-866-208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659. Although the Commission strongly encourages electronic filing, documents may also be paper-filed. To paper-file, mail an original and seven copies to:

Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426. Please include the project number (P-2503-153) on any comments or motions filed.

The Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure require all intervenors filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person whose name appears on the official service list for the project. Further, if an intervenor files comments or documents with the Commission relating to the merits of an issue that may affect the responsibilities of a particular resource agency, they must also serve a copy of the document on that resource agency.

k. Description of Application: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC requests Commission approval to lease 1.331 total acres of project lands, known as Mosquito Point, to Breazeale Shoreline Erosion Control, Inc., Kroeger Marine Construction, Inc, Lakeside Barge Company, Inc., Trees Unlimited, Inc./Shorescapes, and any additional future contractors, for use as a construction staging area for lake construction activities including, but not limited to excavations, shoreline stabilization, assembling of docking facilities and mooring, loading and unloading of materials and equipment from barges, and other construction-related activities. Mosquito Point has existing staging facilities currently in use, and the licensee is requesting that the existing and additional proposed facilities be considered for approval together. The Mosquito Point shoreline area is 428.38 contiguous linear feet, but is described as four areas for the purpose of the application. Each area would house two barges and two barge pushers. The existing facilities consist of three wooden piers, a retaining wall, three gravel loading ramps, and a concrete loading ramp. The additional proposed facility is a gravel loading ramp to be used as a barge loading area. The application provides location, descriptions, and dimension for the existing and proposed facilities, as well as documentation of consultation with the relevant agencies.

l. Locations of the Application: A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE, Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 502-8371. This filing may also be viewed on the Commission's website at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field (P-2503) to access the document. You may also register online at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/esubscription.asp> to be notified via email of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, call 1-866-208-3676 or e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, for TTY, call (202) 502-8659. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item (h) above.

m. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission's mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.

n. Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene: Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, .211, .214, respectively. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

o. Filing and Service of Documents: Any filing must (1) bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "PROTEST", or "MOTION TO INTERVENE" as applicable; (2) set forth in the heading the name of the applicant and the project number of the application to which the filing responds; (3) furnish the name, address, and telephone number of the person commenting, protesting or intervening; and (4) otherwise comply with the requirements of 18 CFR 385.2001 through 385.2005. All comments, motions to intervene, or protests must set forth their evidentiary basis. Any filing made by an intervenor must be accompanied by proof of service on all persons listed in the service list prepared by the Commission in this proceeding, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2010.

Dated: April 12, 2013

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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